



EXPEDITED PROCEDURE – EXAMINING GROUP 2183

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Applicant: Hong Wang et al. Examiner: Charles A Harkness
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Assignee: Intel Corporation Customer No.: 21186

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In response to the Final Office Action mailed March 8, 2004, please amend the application as follows:

This response is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain a 2-month extension of the period for responding to the Office action, thereby moving the deadline for response from June 8, 2004 to August 8, 2004. As August 8 falls on a Sunday, the deadline for response is believed to be further extended to Monday, August 9, 2004.